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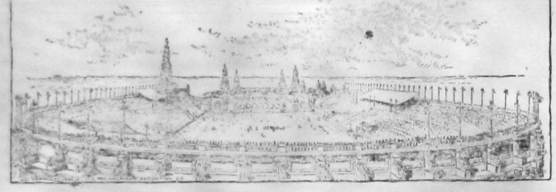
The Great Pan-American Exposition, 1901.

THE STADIUM.

The completed Stadium for the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo next year will offer a novelty in sports the most spacious and splendid ever erected in America. The Athletic Carnival to be held during the great Exposition will be the most notable in the history of American sport. The co-operation of many of the best promoters of athletic games and contests has been secured. Visitors to the Pan-American Exposition may therefore expect to witness the meeting of the most famous athletes of the world, in competition for prizes worthy of their best feats of endurance, strength, and skill.

It is said that the great Colosseum at Rome, built in the first century of the Christian Era, could accommodate 87,000 spectators. The Pan American Stadium will be 129 feet longer and but ten feet narrower than the historic amphitheatre of Rome. The Stadium, however, will have a larger arena, and the seating capacity is estimated for 25,000 people. The top row of seats will be sixty feet above the ground, and every seat will command a perfect view of the vast interior. Standards are to be placed at various points for the support of awnings in such a way that they will not obstruct the view from the other seats.



The Stadium resembles in a general way that erected at Athens a few years ago, altho this one can be, of course, only a temporary structure. It is intended as a model of what it is hoped may be executed some day in permanent form of the river and trips should be made the length of the Gorge, either along the cliffs above or over the trolley road which runs close to the water's edge.

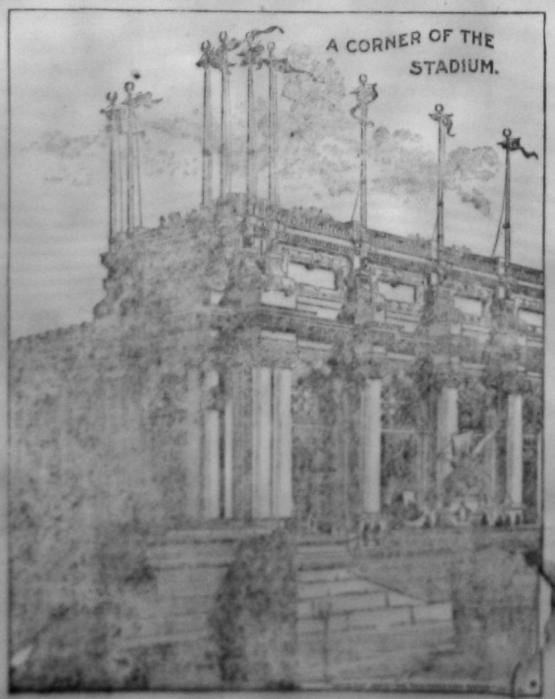
Perhaps the most comprehensive near views of the Falls are those obtained on the Canadian side of the Gorge, especially that from Falls View station. Here is seen a complete panorama, embracing the rushing and turbulent currents of the upper rapids and the whole sweep of the falling waters, reaching from end to end nearly four-fifths of a mile, with the great Horseshoe Fall in the Foreground, separated by Goat Island from the American Fall, which is 158 feet high and 1264 feet wide.

On the American side there are two great corporations utilizing the current of the Niagara River for developing electric power used in many industries at the Falls. The power thus generated by one of these corporations is also transmitted to Buffalo, 25 miles distant, for use as the electric lighting of the city, for operating a great electric car system, and in many important manufacturing establishments. The power thus transmitted will also be extensively used for the purpose of the Exposition.

THE FALLS OF NIAGARA.

GREATEST AUXILIARY ATTRACTIONS TO THE PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

The importance of the great Falls, Rapids, and Gorge of the Niagara River as auxiliaries to the many and varied attractions of the Pan-American Exposition to be held in Buffalo, May 1st to November 1st, 1901, can not well be overestimated. In its immense flow of water, its grand scenery, and its historic lore, the Niagara is one of the most renowned rivers of the world. Its great cataract has defied the descriptive powers of poets and philosophers and baffled the delineative skill of painters and photographers. The grandeur of their environment renders the falls perennially interesting at all seasons of the year, and very few of those who visit the Pan American Exposition but will desire also to visit them. The trip from Buffalo can be made in half an hour. There are many points of view and places of interest and the visitor can plan his itinerary according to the leisure time at his disposal. If time will permit, the cataract should be viewed from both sides



A Life and Death Fight.

W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed day and night. All my doctors said I must die. Then I began to use Dr King's New Discovery which wholly cured me. Hundreds have used it on my advice and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. Regular size 50c and $1.

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Unnecessary Loss of Time.

W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank, of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle of it from the druggist and informed me that one dose cured him, and he is again at his work. For sale by

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Stephen Crane, the novelist, is dead.

A Soul Proprietor—Satan.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Proceedings of the Convention in Marlinton, June 19, 1900.

At a convention of the Republican party of Pocahontas County, held in the court house in Marlinton June 19, pursuant to a call, the house was called to order by Hon N. C. McNeil, chairman of Executive Committee of Pocahontas County. George P. Moore was called to the chair as temporary chairman, and W. B Sharp as temporary secretary. On motion the temporary organization was made permanent.

Daniel O'Connel and S. B. Moore were nominated for House of Delegates. When a rising vote was ordered Daniel O'Connel received sixty-three votes and S. B. Moore forty-three. Daniel O'Connel receiving the majority of votes cast was declared elected. On motion the nomination was made unanimous.

James Gibson was nominated for Sheriff, and there being no other nomination, was elected by acclamation.

W. B Sharp was nominated for Prosecuting Attorney, and there being no other nomination, was elected by acclamation.

Peter Hill was nominated for Commissioner of the County Court and there being no other nomination, was elected by acclamation.

G. E. Moore was nominated for Assessor, and there being no other nomination was elected by acclamation.

On motion the following delegates were nominated and elected to represent Pocahontas County at the State and Congressional Conventions to be held in Charleston, W. Va.; the former on July 11 and the latter on July 19: Capt. E. A. Smith, Wm. Gibson, John E. Barlow, W. B. Hill, Alvin R. Gay and N. C. McNeil.

On motion the following delegates were nominated to represent Pocahontas County at the Senatorial Convention to be held in Alderson, on July 21, 1900: W. B. Sharp, Wm. Burns, Oliver McKeever, D. T. McNeel, A. D. Williams and James I. Beverage. A motion was made and carried that any of the delegates at either convention cast the entire vote of the County.

On motion the following resolution was adopted: Whereas, L. J. Williams, of Greenbrier County, President of the West Virginia Bar Association, a lawyer of recognized ability and a gentleman of sterling ability, will be a candidate before the convention for the nomination for one of the Judgeships of West Virginia of the Supreme Court of Appeals, Therefore, *Be it Resolved*, That we the Republicans of Pocahontas County, in convention assembled, do hereby instruct the delegates from this county to said Convention to support said L. J. Williams for said nomination, and to use every honorable means to secure his nomination by said convention.

On motion a resolution was adopted that the proceedings of the convention be sent by the Secretary to the Wheeling Intelligencer, the West Virginia News and the Pocahontas Times and ask for its publication in said papers.

At this juncture in the Convention, upon motion, it was ordered that the several districts organize into separate district conventions for the purpose of nominating district candidates, which resulted in the following reports:

Edray District—For Justice, N. C. Rodgers and W. Hannah; for Board of Education, Aron M. Kee, President, Harmon Sharp and John E. Barlow, Commissioners; for constables, J. O. Morrison and Geo. L. Hannah; for members of the Republican Executive Committee, N. C. McNeil, John D. Gibson, and Beverly Waugh.

Huntersville District—For Justice, D. B. McElwee; for Constable, E. H. Moore; for Member of the Board of Education, W. A. G. Sharp; Republican Executive Committee, O. E. McKeever, J. W. Grimes and W. B. Sharp.

Little Levels District—For Justices, S. W. McCarty and T. W. Hogsett; for member Board of Education, Frank Kennison; for constables, E. F. Smith and J. E. McMillion; Republican Executive Committee, J. W. Snedegar, T. A. McCarty, and Wm. Burns.

Green Bank District—For Members of the Republican Executive Committe, Phil Edmiston, C. C Wanless and Benj. Arbogast.

The above reports were adopted by the Convention as a whole, There being no other business for the Convention, on motion, said Convention adjourned.

G. P. MOORE, Chairman.
W. B. Sharp, Secretary.

Views of Life.

A great contrast is usually presented between the view of life entertained by a young man and that presented to an old man. The one is filled with the bright colors of hope; the other is tinged with the dark shades of sorrow and disappointment. Age in years does not regulate the character of the view, for some men remain young for a long time and others grow prematurely old. Much depends upon temperment, but more upon experience. The young and innocent have no cares of any kind; their books are balanced each day, and they have nothing to look too except the future, and that future appears bright to their imagination because they have had no experience that would suggest to them anything sad or sorrowful. As the years pass, however, each has his share of sorrows, and then the view of life alters. The future may still appear promising but not quite so bright as formerly. The shadows of the past creep into it, and as age increases the future loses interest. It has become altogether dull and commonplace. Happy the man who can preserve to the end a view of past life illuminated by good deeds, something that will take the place of the visions of future happiness which regaled his early years. To the young life is a great holiday, seemingly without end; to the old it is an experience eaten or bitter, as the case may be, from which the holiday element has disappeared. The views describe one into another, but not at rates regulated by the mere age of the individual and as those of the young are so much more enjoyable than those of the old, one should aim to prolong them as much as possible. This can be done only by leading a life of innocent enjoyment throughout maturity. Some men and some women manage to maintain their youthful spirits through sympathy with their children and even their children's children. Others become soured in early life. Their sufferings, deserved or undeserved, make them cynical, they are no longer agreeable companions and therefore lose the the associations which have the greatest influence in preserving youth and the hopefulness of youth—association with youth itself. The cheery old man is always surrounded by youthful companions; the morose man is deserted by those of his own age. But one cannot be either cheery or morose or cheery to order or at will. These are states of mind produced by a great number of influences. One who is to be cheery and hopeful must have a pleasant past to look back upon, a past that is free from wrong doing and illuminated by good deeds. And so also we may be quite sure that the dissatisfied or morose man has abundant reason for his disposition in conduct that has warped and twisted his view of life. We start in life with everything before us, nothing behind us; we end it in a good old age with everything behind us, nothing before us. The change is gradual, and we should aim by our conduct to make both views pleasant, that when we reach the middle period imagination may picture an enjoyable future out of the material furnished by an enjoyable past. Right living is the surest means of perpetuating the joys of youth. Only those whose backward view of life shows no shadows can preserve to the end the glorious spirit of youth which sees in the future nothing but happiness.—Baltimore Sun.

Glorious News.

Comes from Dr D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes, Electric Bitters has cured Mrs Brewer of scrofula, which has caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but now her health is excellent." Electric bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. Stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up strength. Only 50c.

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They were sitting on the beach at Coney. He turned at length and said: "Why is the Ocean like June?" There was a flutter of interest in the group sitting about them. She should have said: "I don't know," she said. "Why?" "Because," he replied amid a breathless silence, "because it is maritime." A man nearby who had been burying himself in the sand arose and left with every indication of sickness.—Princeton Tiger.

The Boers are still fighting away as merrily as ever, and the end is not yet.

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ARBOVALE.

Corn boeing is the order of the day.

Rhodes Wenger moved into town Tuesday.

Point Arbogast contemplates building a fine barn this summer.

Joseph Gum has bought himself a fine bike.

P. D. Arbogast, who has been at Charlottsville, Va., studying medicine, is home on vacation.

There will be a Sunday school picnic at Arbovale July 4. Everybody invited to attend. Refreshments on the ground.

Will, John and Joe Gum and Jess Orndorf have gone to Leather Bark to haul rock for the bridge at that point.

We would like for the Gillespie correspondent to give us some idea as to where that little town is. We are in the dark as to where it is.□

Most of the farmers have finished sowing buckwheat in this part.

George Hannah says a Burner always did attract his attention.

Dr Hunter Moorman still looks after his property in this town.

Roy Silcaras *is sick.*

Porter Kerr is skidding logs for C. O. Tracy.

Rhodes Wenger is off to Millboro for a load of hands for Dood's camp.

There will be singing at this place every Saturday evening at 3 o'clock. Let every one come and *help make it a success.*

Squire McGuffin is in Phares harness shop again.

Robert Brown and family have returned home from Hillsboro, where they have been on an extended *visit.*

Go to Couger and Couger at Arbovale for goods and you will receive *your moneys worth.*

There were two men killed and two wounded at Shanklins camp on *last Thursday by an explosion.*

John R. Hevener and family and Mrs Pritchard of Danmore are on a visit to Rockingham county, Va.

Rev Pullin preached a fine sermon *to the people of this* community last Sunday.

Fount Arbogast goes over to *Rosin Run occasionally on business.*

Wise Gillespie is working at *O'Connell's* camp.

Mavid Bright who has been at Mountain Grove for about a year *is home again.*

Good bye, Mr Editor.

G. W.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the I. O. O. F. at their hall on Saturday evening next at 7½ o'clock for the purpose of electing officers. All the members are earnestly requested to be present.

By order of the N. G.

BUCKEYE.

Hot and dry.

J. W. Yeager and Dr Cunningham, of Marlinton, were in town on business last week; also Anthony Kincaid.

Mrs Addie McNeil who has been very ill for some time is improving.

"I have done quit eating," says Adrian Rucker with a ten-cent smile on his face—It's a 14-pound boy.

W. McClintic is at home from camp and reports business lively.

Geo. W. McClintic, of Charleston, was visiting relatives here last week.

A. A. Rucker is improving rapidly. We are glad to see him out again.

Newton Landes, of Edray, was here recently on business.

Albert Silva, of Anthony's creek *passed here enroute for McClintics* camp.

Sandy Pennel and brother, of Anthony's Creek, have been visiting Joseph Pennel.

Lewis Pennel will start a restaurant and barber shop on *his premises soon.*

Miss Laura Overholt, of Frankfort, has been visiting relatives in this part for a few days. We hope to see her oftener.

Andy Taylor, of Edray, was in this part looking after his interest Sunday. We wish him good luck *in his undertakings.*

J. A. McLaughlin, the worthy clerk from McClintic's camp, was *a pleasant caller in Possum Hollow* recently.

Summers Dilley, of Greenbrier, *was visiting here recently.*

Jasper Auldridge was a caller at Mr Beverage's Sunday evening.

Grandpap McLaughlin, of Marlinton, was in this part last week on business.

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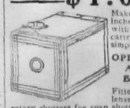

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The Pocahontas Times.

ANDREW PRICE, - - - EDITOR.

MARLINTON, THURS. JUNE 28, 1900

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THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Two great Republican Conventions were held last week, one at Philadelphia and the other at Marinton. It is the Marlinton one of which we wish to speak. There is *no use in denying the fact* that the Republicans had a large and enthusiastic meeting and showed determination to unite to elect a whole or part of the ticket. All day there were signs that the leaders were determined to take advantage of internal dissentions in the Democratic party in this county, and to our shame be it said that we have given them reason to hope.

N. C. McNeil, County Chairman called the meeting to order and took advantage of this opportune moment to make one of those neat little addresses for which he is so famous. He referred to the fact that heretofore their conventions were merely perfunctory matters held in some small room in the town, where a handful of the faithful met, made nominations with no hope or thought of election, and adjourned. Now the largest room in the court house was filled to nominate a county ticket. In regard to the office of Representative especially the Democratic party had "fixed themselves." He stated the object of the meeting and called George P. Moore to the chair. Mr Moore made a short speech in regard to the necessity of there being two great parties, and gave the Democrats credit for *honesty of purpose, but claimed* for his party the loyalty of being able to give the country the good government both parties desired, more effectually than the Democratic party. W. B. Sharp was made secretary of the meeting and nominations were in order.

The whole ticket was nominated in a cut and dried style, with the exception of the nominee for Representative in the Legislature. This resulted in a contest between B. O'Donnell and S. B. Moore. Captain Walt Allen nominated O'Donnell and Captain A. S. Smith immediately nominated S. B. Moore. Then followed a lot of speech making. Senator McNeil was another opening for a row in the speech, and lot of it sometimes long and exhausting both ways. He was decidedly impolitic; called both names blessed, and referred to all the claims of both. He left them in statu quo. O. A. McKeever seconded *O'Connell's nomination* in a vigorous speech, and it was plain from the applause that O'Connel had a great deal of strength in the audience. The vote finally showed Moore 41 and O'Connel 63. Moore represents the old line Republicanism and *O'Connel is a late recruit from the* Democratic ranks. He went over to Palmer and Buckner in 1896, and broad is the road that leads from those men into the Republican party.

After this nomination the rest of the ticket was nominated in a *harmonious manner. James Gibson, Jr.,* of Elk was put up for Sheriff; W. B. Sharp of Frost, a recent graduate of a Tennessee law school, was nominated for Prosecuting Attorney; our old friend Peter Hill of Jacox was nominated for County Court; G. E. Moore *of Academy for Assessor.*

DENTISTRY.

Dr Campbell of Monterey requests us to announce that he will be at points in this county on or *near dates given, prepared to attend* to dental operations. He has taken a special course of training in gold crown and bridge work in Baltimore recently, and is prepared to do work in that line, in up to date style.

Marlinton . . July 2–10 days
Huntersville " 13–6 days

Editor Times:

Dear Sir,—I wish to state thro' your paper that my failure to reach *two of my appointments,* Frost and Linwood, was owing to the miscarriage of an express package containing my material. I shall have to rearrange my appointments from Huntersville. Will be at Frost July 30th stay five days; Dunmore, August 10th, six days; Linwood August 17th, 6 days; Green Bank Aug 24th six days; Travelers Repose, Sept. 2d, four days. Yours truly,

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Men's fine straw hats, worth 40c, our bargain price	20c
Boys' fine straw hats, worth 25c, our bargain price	12c
Good quality side saddles, worth $6.50, this week only,	$3.98
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PICNIC!

JULY 4, 1900.

There will be a 4th of July Celebration at the Rose Lane 2 miles below Marlinton, in the Grove near Lightner's Shop. Swing, Platform Dancing, &c., &c.

G. H. SIMMONS,
MANAGER.

GRAND RALLY

Sat., June 30th, 1900

At the old Picnic Ground at Malcomb's Store, 1 1-2 miles from Edray on the Clover Lick Road.

There will be a fine Cornet String Platform Dancing, and Refreshments on the ground. Bring an abundance of good order to be participated. Officer on the ground.

Don't Forget to have your picture taken by J. H. Linder.

CHALLY WAUGH,
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I will offer at Public Sale at FROST, W. VA.,

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THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

One Class R. Peerless Traction Engine, Long Cab, No. 6100; also one Medium Geiser Sawmill No. 1618; one 62 Inserted Emerson Saw; 60 ft. 8, six ply Endless Gandy B-R and all appurtenances thereto belonging, the same being the property conveyed to me as Trustee to secure The Geiser Manufacturing Company, of Waynesboro, Pennsa., by W. A. Bussard by deed dated the 2d day of October, 1899, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, in Deed Book No. 1, pages 155, 156, 157.

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I will on the 15th of October, 1900, at the front door of Circuit Court, in front of the Court House, sell publicly to the highest bidder, that tract of land belonging to my deceased brother, I. W. Smith, consisting of 100 acres of land lying on both sides of Deer Lick Run, 47 acres of which is cleared and under fence, the rest timber land. Also a good dwelling and four acres of land. Any one wishing to buy can call on the undersigned.

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ANN A. SMITH,
Exec. of I. W. Smith, dec'd.

NOTICE.

By order of the President of the Board of Education of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, I will receive proposals for the building of a school house in Dist. No. 2, Board of Education Dist. No. 1, on Deer Lick Run, at the mouth of Mill Run, on the land of Mr. Hannah, on or before the 15th day of July, 1900. Plans and specifications can be seen at the store of Mr. Hannah. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Local Events.

R. B. Catlett is in Virginia.

W. A. Bratton has a bad case of fever.

James Robien of Mingo was here this week.

Butler Sharp of Frost was in Marlinton Tuesday.

The railroad track is laid as far as Falling Spring.

The river has been too high to catch bass and very few are being taken.

Dr Brown has returned from an extended visit to his home in Greenbrier.

Harvey Echols has gone to house keeping in the house lately vacated by Andrew Price.

A camping party of thirteen ladies and gentlemen from Huntersville, are camped at the Penick meadows.

The law partnership heretofore existing known as Price & Catlett has been dissolved by mutual consent.

Charles McClintic and Miss Emma McClintic, and Miss Minnie McNulty of Highland county are visiting friends in Pocahontas.

Charles Echols and Misses Bessie and Janie Echols, of Lewisburg, spent several days in Marlinton this week.

Rev J. M. Sloan will preach at Huntersville on the 1st Sunday in July at 11 a. m. and at Marlinton at 8 p. m. on the same day.

A well being dug by W. W. Tyree near his store caved in so that it undermined two of the pillars of his house.

The churches of Liberty and Baxter (at Green Bank and Dunmore) have made a unanimous call to Rev Henry W. McLaughlin to become their pastor.

Chas Q. H. Bruce, who was one of the first Englishmen to visit Pocahontas County in recent years has returned from England to his place at Mingo.

Lee Lockridge and family, of Ord, Nebraska, are visiting friends and relatives in this county. Mr Lockridge left this county in 1883 and this his first visit here.

The lawyers attending court from a distance were: Col. B. S. Turk, John W. Stephenson, Geo. W. McClintic, Henry Gilmer, Fred Wallace, Charles Dice and George J. McComas.

Work was begun on the foundation of the Marlinton Bank building Tuesday. The present building was move to an adjoining lot. The earth excavated is being used on the railway grading.

Dr John Bosworth, of Beverly, who immortalized himself by personally conducting the first telephone wire into Pocahontas County by way of Huttonsville in 1898, was in Marlinton last week. He located the trouble of ringing up on the Beverly line at the Central office in Marlinton.

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—L. D. Sharp, Linwood, W. Va.

Pitts Camp at Academy and others conditionally challenge the town of Marlinton for a baseball game, the condition being that Marlinton organize a team and give due notice of their intention to play so all hands can get ready. All the local players, including the strangers within our gates, are urged to meet at the Times office on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock to arrange for a team and outfit.

It is easy to see where the trees are leaved out what immense damage was done the forests by the great fires of last November. One might say that all the young trees were killed in the burnt districts and where there are no large trees the prominence against bald and barren for a great distance. It will be remembered that smoke from numerous fires made living almost unbearable in the late fall, the fires being the greatest and most widespread in the history of West Virginia.

A Mistaken Identity.

Receiving an invoice, in a type of Chinese origin. The printer of this journal is left to suppose, however, that the 10 Kings Iron Ore Paint are a safe and reliable paint for iron or tin roofs, as the manufacturers claim. Send to S. F. Kaye, Sole Agent, 6 E. Kaye Building, Baltimore, Md.

The Cherry Railroad.

In the rush attending the building of the Greenbrier Railway and the Coal and Iron Railway to meet it, very little general attention is given to the new railway projected to unite the Camden System and the C. & O. The new railroad starts at Cherry Bottom and comes up Cherry River until it reaches a gap which lets it over on the waters of Hills Creek in Pocahontas County. At this point there is a wonderful formation in that there is no perceptible divide between the waters of Cherry and the waters of Hills Creek. Up to this point the grade is easy and unnatural. Immediately after the waters of Hills Creek are reached the trouble begins for the engineer.

Hills Creek has falls 150 feet high and great difficulty is experienced in getting down to a level below them. This has been accomplished, but Hill's Creek unfortunately runs into and under Droop Mountain and makes that route no thoroughfare. The engineering corps at the present time are surveying for a tunnel underneath the mountain. Hills Creek comes through the mountain and is known as Locust creek. It is believed to be about a mile through the mountain as the creek runs. It is quite a large stream and the passage through must be quite large, but no one has ever had the hardihood to follow it through the mountain. No fish have ever penetrated the mountain either, for while Locust Creek has always been well stocked with fish no fish have ever been known in Hills Creek. The mountain is of limestone formation. In time of flood on the Hills Creek side the water has been dammed back until it formed a lake fifty or sixty feet deep.

Another route is to keep up on the Hills Creek side and cross over Droop Mountain and get down to the Greenbrier River by means of the Stamping creek valley.

The distance from the Greenbrier Railway to the Camden System is 31 miles by the route surveyed, but it is thought that a railroad can be built between the two in 28 miles. If this road be built it will open one of the richest timber sections in the country, all of which is practically a wilderness.

Circuit Court.

Circuit Court passed off very quietly. The town government had the desired effect of keeping down disorder on the part of those who have been accustomed to become too noisy and riotous by reason of too much drink.

There were two juries empaneled. The case of the State vs. W. D. Sharp resulted in an acquittal owing to an error in the writing of the indictment.

The case of Dawson vs. Smith and Whiting and others resulted in a verdict in favor of Smith and Whiting.

The case of A. M. McLaughlin vs. John T. McGraw was arranged by compromise.

The order of the Supreme Court dismissing the case of Andrew Herald vs. Amos Barlow was entered.

An order was entered to the effect that if the jail at this place was not put into a good sanitary condition by the next term of this court, then the Prosecuting Attorney is instructed to begin suit against the County Court to compel it to make the necessary improvements. Owing to the unsanitary condition of the jail, John Robinson who is confined therein on a charge of felony is ordered to be removed to the Greenbrier jail until the next term of this court.

Death of Mrs S. L. Brown.

Wednesday, June 21, Mrs Josephine Brown, the wife of S. L. Brown, County Clerk of Pocahontas, died at her home in Marlinton after a long and painful illness, aged 47.

Mrs Brown was a daughter of the late Randolph Slaven. She leaves surviving her husband, a sister Mrs L. M. McClintic, and a brother O. H. Slaven of Hutchinson, Kansas. She was a most estimable lady, whose loss in the community will be greatly felt.

The interment took place at Huntersville Thursday. Rev G. W. Bugle officiating.

Bank of Marlinton Building.

The contract for a bank building was let by the Bank of Marlinton last week to F. B. King of this place for $10,954.50.

The building is to be 50 x 62, three stories high to be built of brick with stone foundation and trimmings to be finished in oak. The banking department is to be on the ground floor, and the rest of the building will be fitted up for a hotel.

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Fatal Accident at Bower's & Co's. Camp. Other Items.

On Thursday evening at six o'clock Harvey Shanklin, aged 23, son of John Shanklin, a member of the firm of Bowers & Co., railroad builders, and a Greek laborer about thirty-five years old were engaged in loading a blast on the Greenbrier Railroad. They had placed five kegs of black powder, 125 pounds, in the hole. A negro laborer was sent for more powder. A rock was in the hole and young Shanklin tried to move it with a crowbar. A spark was struck igniting the powder. The unfortunate young man was immediately over the charge and was hurled at least sixty-five feet in the air and landed in the middle of the Greenbrier River. He was of course killed instantly. The Greek was close by. He lived until 1 o'clock that night but never recovered consciousness. A foreman near by named Williams received slight injuries. The laborer who had gone for the powder escaped. The rest of the working force were absent, having gone to supper.

The burial took place Friday at Dunmore, services conducted by Rev R. M. Caldwell.

Young Mr Shanklin bore an enviable reputation. He was very much liked by all who came in contact with him. The bereaved father and mother have the sincerest sympathy of the people of this vicinity. A very large crowd attended the funeral, among them 75 Greeks from the camps on the river.

Died at her home Sundoy evening, Mrs Phoebe Ann Kerr, relict of Jacob T. Kerr, who died two years ago.

Thursday last was the longest day in the county.

Mr Shaymaker spent part of last week in town.

Admiral Dan is round shaking hands and looking for men to work in the woods. His log drive reached William Collins'.

Mrs Julia Lockridge is out on a visit.

Willis Gibson is surveying for B. F. McElwee.

Mrs C. P. Kerr is visiting her old home.

Mr and Mrs Paris Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Captain C. B. Swecker attended county court.

A number of teams started to the White Sulphur Tuesday for supplies for the new town of Cass.

W. A. Bussard sale will take place July 28.

E. O. Moore has given up the race for Assessor, and says he would run for Governor but is afraid he might be shot; and Governors sometimes get shot.

MR POOH.

LOBELIA.

Good morning, Mr Editor.

Fine growing weather; plenty of rain, but bad time for hoeing corn.

Sam Taylor is carrying lunch for some men who are working on Cherry River.

A. L. Anderson is clerking for W. B. Hill & Co.

All the talk now is about the railroad. Surveyors have been working on it for three weeks, having surveyed from the low place of Cherry to the sinks of Bruffeys and Hills Creeks.

R. B. Casebolt, whose home has been in Iowa for thirteen years, is in Pocahontas on a visit to relatives and friends.

W. B. Hill is having a new addition put to his house.

Quarterly meeting at Mt Lebanon first Sunday in July.

Several of our people attended Court.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING.

On last Thursday morning D. A. Tharp was accidentally shot with a pistol by J. E. McMillion, who picked up an empty pistol and after looking at it laid it down while looking at another one, and not knowing that the first had been loaded by a third party in the meantime, picked it up and it was accidentally discharged, striking Mr Tharp who was standing nearby. The ball passed through one finger and thumb and entered the left leg. The Doctor dressed his wounds but failed to locate the ball. He is doing very well, being pretty badly hurt but not dangerously.

Contrary reports to this have been circulated but are false.

P. Q. S.

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As special receivers of 114½ acres of land and its rents and profits, which Jacob Simmons devised to his six young children, appointed in the chancery cause of Lottie R. Hill vs. George Simmons and others, we will on Saturday, June 30th, 1900, at the front door of the court house of Pocahontas County proceed to rent the said 114½ acres for one year from date, at public auction to the highest bidder.

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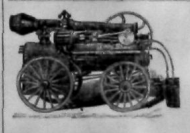

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A NIGHT OF TERROR.

BY A. L. P.

'Twas the first winter month and in the mountains of the old Granite State December was wont to earn its name for cold and rigor. Halfway between the hill top and vale the L family had an humble but entirely comfortable dwelling and everything within and out of the homestead betokened thrift and its twin sister—industry.

The family in question had gathered after supper around the ample hearthstone and many were the comments on barometrical changes evidenced by sharp gusts of wind and the pattering of icy snow upon the window pane. A whining at the door brought the dog Nero *in to notice and he was ushered in,* while Mr L. remarked that animals knew more and said less than all the scientific Weather Bureaus.

It was observed that one member of the family group remained unusually silent this evening and occasionally ceased from her loved knitting, an almost unheard of thing; for some of the younger children averred that "Aunt Elsie" knit all through the night—they left her knitting when they retired and at early dawn they found the needles still flitting between her fingers. There were many feet marked "L" that needed guarding from the cold and the "mother" was wonderfully helped by aunt Elsie's continuous knitting; but this useful woman did other things also and took her rest beside, as wise people ever do.

The weather and innocent gossip of the neighborhood being fully discussed and passed around, a novel subject was introduced by Philip, the half-grown boy: "Say, is it true, what I have read and heard spoken of, that human hair will turn white suddenly?" One member of the family declared it would, and gave several instances *from history to this effect. Another* doubted the truth of such records *and the general opinion was in the* negative. "Ask your aunt Elsie of *the matter," said the mother,* and while all turned to aunt Elsie for *information she was silent* and seemed distressed; then the children noticed for the first time in their lives that aunt Elsie's hair was a great deal whiter than her age justified, and their curiosity now aroused and supported by their mother's word, they exclaimed: "O, aunt Elsie, tell us, did *your* hair turn white in a single night like Queen Marie Antoinette's?"

"Have you not promised, Elsie, to tell sometime the story of your adventure and fright, and now is a good time, I think." I was the father who thus interposed, and great silence fell upon the group as aunt Elsie was seen to fold up her knitting work and accede.

"Long ago, children, during a winter like this and when I was young and gay like you, my home for the time being was at an uncle's, in a part of the State entirely new to me. Word came just the middle of the day for some one of the family to assist relatives in distress and at once. I was chosen for the emergency, and preparations began to get me off quickly. Of course the traveling must be by sleigh for the bare ground had not been seen for a month. All day the cold had been increasing and a storm such as this to-night threatening. My escort on the journey was a young man hired for farm work and who thought he knew the country well; but a blinding bitter snow fell and wind might well perplex the truest mind. We had never heard of "blizzards" then: I think 'twas one that we encountered. Well wrapped in furs and shawls, with heated bricks at our feet and the exertions of a sleigh we started, and the cold started with us but not the snow. Within allowance we are silent and this was the shortest of all. As the dark gathered my companion showed signs of perplexity which I had been feeling for some time; but I was not a timid girl for had I been so would not have been on the road.

"Relying in the home my driver spoke thus, 'I wish I was to home!' 'Why?' said I. 'Because we be lost, that's all.' I made no immediate reply when the young man added, 'from Dan to Beersheba!' The connection of these words under the circumstances I was unable to discover; but I suggested our seeking a house by the way for shelter until the night, now fairly set in, should be over and we could get our bearings in the way. A glimmering light in the distance guided us, and at last we were glad to be under a roof.

"The family that so kindly took us in from the night storm and our perplexed situation *seemed to consist* of two persons, a man and his wife. *Mine hostess was talkative* and as the exciting scenes of the *road had robbed me of desire to* sleep I was a patient listener; she carried me *through her whole life,* I believe, and all her troubles, reserving the greatest for the last disclosure, and well had it been for me if *this* grief never met my ears. 'My man and I have a child, an only son—poor dear boy!' and then she wept violently. 'Your boy is dead?' and my own voice became unsteady in presence of a mother's sorrow. 'Nay, young lady, not dead—it is worse than that.' A horrible surmise struck me for nothing was so awful as the loss of reason, and could it be, her son *crazy?* and perhaps here at home near his parents. On the wild tempest, the cold night outside and the unknown road were nothing compared with contact to the insane!

"And it was even so as the mother informed me speedily; but perceiving the alarm I could not hide added, 'He cannot hurt you; our poor senseless boy is tied and kept close: no one sees him and he sees no one.' *Frightened, restless and* unable to perform my part as guest I begged to retire, *and was led up* the bare stairs that creaked so to *my step I imaginged the maniac* boy was near at hand and would *touch me.* Opening one of the two doors at the upper landing, the lady said, 'You do not mind being in the house alone? We occupy the small building in the yard with our poor child!' Reproaching myself inwardly for my fear so selfish compared with the great affliction and thankless care and labor of these lone parents, I meekly answered, 'O no, I mind nothing, except—' and hastily added, 'Forgive me; I do thank you so much for taking us in tonight. I pray God to bless you!' 'Well, well, young lady, I see you are clean worn out and it is late. Good night, and try to go to sleep.'

"Sleep does not always or ever follow *trying;* the sweet restorer comes unwittingly, and when to me that night it was a feverish slumber, scaring my senses with the screams and jargon and aimless efforts of the mad. The rickety door of my apartment had no fastening, and evidently I arose while sleeping and crossed the narrow landing to the room opposite and lay down upon a bare lounge left with other things in a kind of lumber room. The window panes were mostly out and the cold air awakened me, but did not explain my strange surroundings. Just then a sound from below *froze my* brain and stilled every effort to move from *my position on the lounge* where I seemed to have been spirited. The sound was the opening of a lower door and the clanking of a chain! Steps approached the door and that terrible chorus of the chain steadily seconding. It was the maniac boy; it could be nothing else! He had escaped, and what was to become of me! Great horror seized upon me, tremblings, the cold sweat stood on my forehead, and I could not scream, which I escaped time and again. Night scenes are time described, but I was wide awake and horror stricken.

"As the chain and its bearer reached my door and entered I mercifully 'put myself and was dead to all other things. How long unconscious I know not and even other morning well troubled gently by kindly friends, I refrained from asking my questions."

"But, aunt Elsie," said one of the interested and deeply attentive group at the fireside, "you found out sometime all about the matter, did you not? Please tell us the whole."

"Yes, my dears, I found the cause of my intense alarm imaginary as in ghost stories, but mine is not such; my story is real and the effect was serious. I remained ill, weakly and nervous for a long time and my once brown hair speedily whitened, young as I was, until as you see it now."

"Aunt Elsie, you walked in your *sleep to that other unused room;* but what of the chain and the *step?*"

"Tunt, my dear nephew, was *only a large Newfoundland* dog which had slipped his halter and was seeking as often, doubtless, before, the upper solitary room to lay him down and sleep; farthest from the mild animal's thoughts was the scaring of a human being almost to death." "Aunt Elsie" ceased speaking and resumed her knitting.

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When he executes a power of attorney.

When he buys proprietary medicines.

When he chews gum.

When he uses any perfume or his wife indulges in cosmetics.

When a note is protested.

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When merchandise is entered at a Customhouse.

When—will it be ended?—Arkansas Gazette.

MAUD MULLER AND THE MOBILE

Maud Muller on a summer's day
Went out to rake the fragrant hay.

She glanced up toward the distant town
To see if the judge was riding down.

Then she leaned upon her rake to rest
And a nameless longing filled her breast.

A blue fly buzzed around her and
Got smashed upon her soft white hand.

Again she looked, and her round cheeks glowed—
A speck appeared far up the road.

Maud raked the hay with all her might,
Still keeping the growing speck in sight.

In his automobile the Judge sat proud
Leaving behind a thick dust cloud.

He'd never been out until that day
In the splendid thing, and his heart was gay.

O'er his features played a contented smile
As he ran over dogs in a lordly style.

Maud saw him come, and her breast
Heaved high
As she dropped the rake, saying "Mercy me!"

Then she cooled where the cool spring bubbled up
And scraped to fill her little old cup.

She knelt in the cool inside the bank
Where the Judge's dust will not sink
But passed the rake and passed the
While the Judge had been saying *things to Maud.*

Oh, on he came like a fast express!
She gave a hitch to the back of her dress

And straightened her hat and jabbed her hair
To be sure the frizzle and all were there

The Judge gave his gray mustache a twirl
And smiled as he saw the waiting girl,

And gazed at the sky as if wondering whether
The cloud in the west would bring wet weather,

And noticed the grass and flowers and trees
And the grazing kine as he cleft the breeze.

Then he grasped a handle *some where* at last,
To stop himself from going so fast:

But it seemed to stick and he gave a jerk
And seemed surprised that it wouldn't work!

And, in his hurry, he steered at Maud,
Who dropped her cup and yelled "O lord!"

And tried to climb the fence and got
Half way across, when, like a shot

From a cannon, the Judge arrived and went
On, after the manner of Gov. Kent.

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At last Maud rose from the wreck and gazed
Around at the scattered rails, amazed.

She saw the cows rush o'er the mead,
Developing awful rates of speed.

She heard hens cackle and people call,
And then at last she remembered all.

Looking away o'er the fields, she saw
The undulating expounder of the law,

As he skipped the valleys and hit the hills,
Smashed the fences and jumped the rills,

Clutching her brow she sighed, "Ah me!"
Which the mock-bird echoed from his tree.

Then she took up her rake and mused awhile,
Saying "Blast the automobeel or byle!

Why didn't he stick to the sorrel mare?
Ah, where is he now?" Echo adswered "Where?"

Maud's rake is hanging unused today;
In a horseless age what's the use of hay

And oft in her palm she rests her chin
And thinks of the Judge and what *might* have been

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—S. E. Kiser, in the Chicago Times-Herald.

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Clutching her brow she sighed, "Ah me!"
Which the mock-bird echoed from his tree.

Then she took up her rake and mused awhile,
Saying "Blast the automobeel or byle!

Why didn't he stick to the sorrel mare?
Ah, where is he now?" Echo adswered "Where?"

Maud's rake is hanging unused today;
In a horseless age what's the use of hay

And oft in her palm she rests her chin
And thinks of the Judge and what *might* have been

If he only had stuck to the old mare's back—

Alas! Alas! Likewise alack!

—S. E. Kiser, in the Chicago Times-Herald.

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington Ky., when they saw him turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered horribly. His malady was yellow jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors but without benefit *Then he was advised to try Electric* Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." If trial proves its matchless merit for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 50c.

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An Independent Editor.

There is a rule in the Gazette office to shut up shop on holidays. The paper is very thin on Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Christmas, and Thanksgiving. If the subscribers don't like it they can just naturally lump it, and if that is hard they can stop it. When the owner of the Gazette was working on a salary for other men, he swore a mighty oath that the holidays of his employers should be respected.—Emporia (Kansas) Gazette.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is excited by all those whose stomach and liver are out of order. Such should know that Dr King's New Life Pills give splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular body build that means perfect health and great energy. Only 25c.

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What Kentucky needs is a movement to teach the young idea not to shoot.—Puck.

Cuts and bruises are healed by Chamberlain's Pain Balm in about one-third the time any other treatment would require because of its antiseptic properties which cause the parts to heal without inflammation.

NOTES BY THE WAY.

At old Millboro I passed an hour at the Sulphur Spring recently covered in by an elegant dome roof and enclosed by a picket fence, painted white. In the meantime Prince was turned loose to graze and he seemed to be more than satisfied until he lifted up his eyes and noticed a young lady holding a horse near the creek, a few hundred yards away, and he started for them. Upon calling to the young lady she came forward to check him, which she did by taking him by the bridle waited for me to come up, in the meantime while waiting she caressed old Prince very gently, which he seemed to appreciate very much. When I came up puffing and blowing from the race I asked her to see what trouble her charms had caused me. A blush and a smile beautified her features and in the most self-possessed manner replied: "Oh, well all horses love me." In an instant she had vaulted her own horse in clothes-pin fashion, and galloped away, presenting a most picturesque appearance in her riding habit, white bodice, navy-blue skirt and summer hat trimmed in flowers that might allure the humming bird in its search for honey dew.

At the Warm Springs the summer hat is *to be seen in alluring* floral splendor. On a recent morning while a party of ladies were standing on the slated walk in merry conversation, a humming bird poised above them and sampled the flowers but finding no *nectarine sweets, sped away like a* flash of rainbow light.

Several localities in Rockbridge have been considerably injured by rain storms and freshets at intervals since May 28 and June 13. On June 12 the rain fall at Lexington in less than an hour was 2½ inches, and was the heaviest down *pour of rain for fifteen years. Side* walks and gardens were considerably damaged.

The impression seems to be prevalent in Virginia that in the course of a year or two millions of dollars will be invested in Pocahontas county alone, to say nothing of what may be in store for *Greenbrier and Randolph counties.* So it seems one of the best ways to see ourselves as others see us is to take a trip from home. The only observation the writer feels equal to is, We shall see what we will see; and, All things come to those who wait, at the hands of hustlers. To the writer it is a source of regretful surprise, however to reflect that children of the pioneers who had been toiling, waiting and bearing the heat of the past days will have no more in hand than those *who have come in at the eleventh* hour, and possibly in many instances not near so much in the outcome.

Owing to rain and swollen streams in addition to and virtue of a cordial and pressing invitation the writer spent several June days in the charming Rockbridge home *of Captain J. A. McNeel,* once a widely known resident of our county. Mr and Mrs McNeel are the favored parents of four sons and three daughters, who are being faithfully trained up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, *and are children of much promise.*

Col Wm. T. Poage, one of the most distinguished of Confederate artillery officers under Stonewall Jackson and successors, afforded the writer one of the most pleasant afternoons of his stay in Lexington by devoting himself to my personal entertainment. Seated with him in one of the nicest of buggies he showed us the city, moved slowly throughout the University and Institute grounds, and then selected one of the most eligible points of view to take in the last race on the final stretch, and witness the enthusiastic demonstration of two thousand spectators at the crucial moment. Patiently and kindly Col Poage showed me through the Jackson memorial Hall with its many objects of interest. On the wall of the Library has been but recently hung a portrait of Stonewall Jackson, which is the only portrait that I have seen that reminds me of the manner of person Jackson was, as I remember him. For three years no one's form and features were more familiar to me than Jackson's, and this portrait presents him as I remember him with speaking lifelike, and in my estimation compared with this one portrait all others are decidedly inferior cartoons.

To persons of reflective habits and few means could be more impressive than those who need at Lexington during commencement exercises. When the Tucker Memorial Hall was dedicated the address made by President Wilson, Rector Strickler and Prof. Quarles *were pervaded by sentiments eulogistic of a life first consecrated* to personal piety towards God, then elevated statesmenship, and purest jurisprudence. The addresses impressively illustrated how essential all these characteristics are in the characters of those called to care for and promote the highest interests of our country and the homes of our millions of people The mind is filled with thoughts too deep for tears seeing our American youth receiving their deplomas, then going forth to their places in life's arena to perform the parts assigned them in their re*spective spheres of service,* as one fondly hopes, by Providential interposition and personal guidance. In the estimation of very competent and appreciative listeners the most masterly address of the current University series was that to *the Alumni by Hon J. W. Davis,* of West Virginia. Considered as to matter, manner and fitness of things this address deserves to be assigned rank with oratorical utterances. Like a voice in the wilderness it was a startling protest *against the materialistic tendencies* of the age that so seriously menace hard bought constitutional rights and forebode an imperial dynasty, having the form of liberty but denying the power thereof.

—W. T. PRICE.

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It is now the manifest destiny of the civilized nations to protect *the Chinese from themselves,* and take the country in payment.—The Philadelphia Ledger.

Was it a Miracle?

"The marvelous cure of Mrs Rosa J. Smoot of consumption has created intense excitement in Greencastle, Ind.," writes Marion Stuart, druggist. She only weighed 90lbs and her doctor said she must soon die. Then she began to use Dr King's New Discovery and gained 50lbs in weight and was completely cured." It has cured thousands of hopeless cases, and is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. 50c and $1.

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The growth of the Confederate Veteran, published by S. A. Cunningham in Nashville, Tenn., is remarkable. Its circulation of eighty-four months, monthly, aggregated in January, 1900, 1,795,000. Average for 1895, 3863; 1896, 10,158; 1897, 12,316; 1898, 13,444; 1899, 16,115; 1900, 19,166; 1900, 23,166.

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TO THE READERS OF THE TIMES.

The business known as the Pocahontas Times has been reorganized and a new partnership formed of Andrew, Norman and Calvin W. Price, to be known as Price Brothers. The writer has been editor, printer, devil and general scrapper in the running of this paper nearly eight years. He had cast on these hospitable shores learned law student, and the people showed an alarming tendency to search out lawyers of age and experience for consolation and advice. The paper was then bought and the same week we got a case in the justic's court. Since then we have posed before the public both as a lawyer and a newspaper man. But it is hard to serve two masters, and we knew sometime or other we would come to the parting of the ways. For the last year other work has prevented us from giving the paper much attention and it has been principally under the control of the editor's younger brothers, both of whom are first class printers and all-round newspaper men. From now on, the writer will give his undivided time if necessary to the practice of law, and only do such work in giving the county a paper as will not interfere with his duties as a lawyer, which in fact he has been doing all along. We expect to enlarge our paper in the near future, and will at all times endeavor to get out as good a paper as the field justifies. All country lawyers suffer from seasons of enforced idleness and at such times the writer will help in the office. Thanking you for your attention, I remain.

Yours very truly,

ANDREW PRICE.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but he writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, wounds and piles it's the best salve in the world. 25c.

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Administrator's Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, July 28, 1900, at the residence of W. A. Bussard, deceased, near Frost, the following property:

1 PLANING MILL, nearly new
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1 BUGGY and HARNESS,

A lot of carpenter tools; household and kitchen furniture; a lot lumber and numerous other things.

Terms made known on day of sale.

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IN MEMORY.

BY A. L. P.

[Mrs "Josie" Brown, wife of Mr S. L. Brown, who departed this life in hope of Heaven, the 20th of June, 1900 at Marlinton, W. Va.]

I.

Sister, friend, Ah! she hath left us,
But 'tis God who hath bereft us;
And sorrow-full, we bow to him,
While bitter tears our eyes bedim.

II.

We thought that she was needed here—
Her home was bright, her friends were dear:
Age had not settled on her brow—
Her face, her voice seem with us now.

III.

"A little while," 'twas thus she spoke,
Ere yet life's silver cord was broke;
And it is so—a little while,
Until we reach life's latest mile.

IV.

And there are lonely hearts this way,
Who walked beside her many a day,
Until her hand slipped from their own—
The spirit from earth's hold had flown!

V.

To Heaven above, those mansions bright
Where comes no weary troubled night;
Sickness and pain forever fled,
And Death itself, thro' Christ, is dead!

Marlinton, W. Va.,
June 30, 1900.

OBITUARY.

Mrs S. L. Brown.

The sympathies of a wide circle of friends in this and other States have been profoundly stirred by the decease of Mrs Mary Josephine Brown, wife of S. L. Brown, clerk of Pocahontas County. This sorrowful event occurred June 20, 1900, at her home in Marlinton, after a prolonged and distressing illness, resulting from a baffling complication of chronic ailments, aggravated by an attack of the prevalent influenza, late in the winter.

Mrs Brown was a daughter of the late Randolph Slaven, of Huntersville, and was born near Green Bank. As a dutiful daughter, an affectionate sister, faithful wife, kind neighbor and exemplary christian in the pale of the Presbyterian branch of the church of Christ. She acquired a reputation not to be forgotten for long years to come on earth and be everlastingly remembered in heaven.

Among the many touching incidents transpiring during the final months of her life this is recalled. Several weeks before her decease her Heavenly Redeemer gave her "a song in the night" in this beautiful way. Upon awaking she found herself singing:

"I am thine, O Lord; I have heard Thy voice,
And it told Thy love to me;
But I long to rise in the arms of faith,
And be closer drawn to Thee.

"There are depths of love that I cannot know,
Till I cross the narrow sea;
There are heights of joy that I may not reach,
Till I rest in peace with Thee.

"Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To the cross where Thou hast died;
Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To Thy precious bleeding side."

Her departure was attended by all the consoling evidences that affords peace and comfort to all who believe that Jesus Christ died and rose again, and those that sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him.

One of the last sacred songs she wanted to hear was "In my Home We'll Meet Them." Her countenance beamed with joy as she said, "Yes, I know my name is on the page bright and fair in the book of my Savior's Kingdom. Yes, my name is written there." Her precious but sacred memory, flowers and little children was intense; a word sung but she said, of blessing and love and consecration.

In the early part of April she attended a social and the cold she caught developed into pneumonia. Her regret seemed to be mainly she could not remain with them to minister to their comfort. She seemed to be at a loss for words to express her heartfelt appreciation of all the care and attention shown her day and night during her sufferings. Her farewell message to her venerable father-in-law Wm. L. Brown, then too infirm to visit her, was touchingly filial, assuring him that with a daughter's love she would wait for him at the pearly gates and try to be the first to meet him, coming home at the Savior's bidding.

Gently as a tired child she fell asleep thus assuring us that Jesus can and does make the dying bed feel soft as downy pillows when we have faith in his promise lean our heads on his breast and breathe our lives out sweetly there.

W. T. P.

Church Notes.

The Quarterly Meeting will be held at West Union next Saturday and Sunday, July 7 and 8.

Rev M. W. Atkinson will not preach at Marlinton next Sunday, as announced.

Greenbrier Presbytery met in called session in Lewisburg July 3. There were present ten ministers and two ruling elders. The calls of Green Bank and Dunmore churches and Marlinton and Huntersville churches to Revs H. W. McLaughlin and G. W. Nickel to be their pastors, were heard and their action approved by Presbytery. It appearing that Rev Nickel had submitted his resignation as pastor of his present charges in Monroe, to consider such resignation congregational meetings will held Sunday, July 8. Presbytery adjourned to meet in Ronceverte July 12, to hear reason, if any, why said pastoral relation should not be dissolved. It is hoped that by that time matters may have shaped themselves so that Presbytery may see clear to arrange for their installation as pastors of the above named churches.

FROST.

Frost is still booming. Any one wanting a healthful location with pleasant surroundings, come to Frost.

Miss Mollie Curry, of Bath, is visiting her sister, Mrs Sherman Curry.

W. A. G. Sharp sent his team to Marlinton Monday for a load of goods for Dr J. P. Moomaw.

Ben Sharp went to Hot Springs for a load of goods for Hannah & Harper.

The Mt Pleasant entertainment was a success.

A ty. W. B. Sharp went to Green Bank on professional business.

Prof Lentz is on the sicklist but is improving now.

Dr Jordon is improving his house which he recently purchased of Dr J. M. Barnett.

Almost thirty-three years since the Chinese authorities founded schools of instruction at the Foo Chow arsenal, and secured foreigners for instructors. Highly recommended German, French and English professors were employed to instruct in ship building, in fortification, in the manufacture of arms and handling the same, and also in the English language. As a feature of English study the students were required to write compositions in English. When Dr. T. F. Cummins, editor of the Christian Observer, was in China, thirty years ago, he read one of these compositions which was as follows:

"We are very glad to have the foreigners come here and teachers how to build ships and how to make guns and how to shoot, and when the foreigners have taught us how to make ships and guns, then the foreigners can go."

Two of the boys of whom it is speaking Chinese are

GRASSHOPPER GLACIER.

Icy Tomb of Thousands of the Long-legged Insects.

There are many remarkable glaciers in that part of the Rocky Mountain uplift that crosses the southern border of Montana. A part of this region has hitherto been unmapped and its more elevated portions were unvisited and unnamed until last summer, when a geographical party piloted the way up the mountains and discovered some of the largest glaciers in the temperate regions of the western world. Here rises Granite Peak which, according to Mr. Gannett is the culminating point of Montana, 12,824 feet high.

Among the glaciers found in these mountains and recently described by James P. Kimball is Grasshopper Glacier, which derives its name from the enormous quantity of grasshopper remains that are found on and in the glacier. Periodically the grasshoppers that thrive in the prairie to the north take their flight southward and must needs cross the mountains. Their favorite route seems to be across this wide glacier, and in the passage scores of them succumb to the rigor of cold and wind, fall helpless upon the snow and are finally entombed in the ice. In the course of time billions of them have been the victims of this glacier. They are, of course, carried by the ice river down into the valley and deposited at the melting edge of the ice, and Mr. Kimball says that thousands of tons of grasshopper remains are the principal material at the lower edge of the glacier. We hear very often of rocks and sand as forming the terminal moraine of glaciers, but here is a glacier whose principal moraine material is grasshoppers.

These insect remains are washed out of the ice in furrows wherever the sun's heat has grooved the surface into runlets of descending water. The grasshopper's perimeter the glacier from top to bottom. No fragment of ice can be broken so small as not to contain remains. Most of the insects have been reduced to a coarse powder, and the furrows of them washed out by the runlets and naturally disposed in parallel lines are very dark in color.—Omaha Bee.

MADE FROM DREAMS.

Inventors Can Tell of Some Strange Experiences.

"It is remarkable how ideas of an inventive nature occur to one," remarked Henry Ho lingsworth, a Cleveland inventor. "Frequently when engaged upon problems in mechanics I have gone to bed and dreamed what seemed to be a perfect solution of that which had been uppermost in my mind during the day. But the trouble is that upon awaking, while recollecting perfectly that I had dreamed the solution, it was impossible to recall the details necessary to a practical application of my idea. You know, it is said of the automatic car coupler, of the double-law type, that the originator of the idea was a telegraph operator, who, while bending back in his chair with his hands clasped behind his head dozing, was brought to his senses by the blowing of a locomotive whistle. That noise served as a connecting link for his thoughts. With his hands still clasped, sailor fashion, he slowly brought them around in front of him, and wondered why the cars of that train could not be connected with one another in the same way his hands were hooked together. As a result of this curiously suggested idea we have the almost universally used car coupler, the two jaws of which fit into each other and clasp after the manner of the human hands.

"There is a Western inventor who tells of dreaming of railroad spikes one night last summer. He saw around him nothing but spikes, hundreds and thousands of them, and tons and tons piled up in front of him. But these spikes differed from any other he had ever seen in that the four faces were grooved. He thought about those spikes when he woke up, and next night saw more spikes than ever in his dream. Then he became convinced that those spikes were intended as the foundation for the fortune that he had been looking for. As a result the Western man has applied for a patent upon the invention, which it is claimed effects a saving of 25 per cent. in the steel used, and makes a cheaper and better means of holding the rail to the tie than heretofore employed."—Washington Post.

A Literary Policeman.

The news of the disastrous death of Charles Ashton, the "literary policeman," as he was called, will be received with genuine regret throughout the whole of Wales. Mr. Ashton was one of those patient students so numerous in North Wales where there is much less of the rush and stress of life than in the south-eastern portion of the principality. A child of the Elisteddfod, he had published an historical work under its auspices. But the dream of his life was to produce a complete and authoritative bibliography of Welsh literature. Amid the picturesque solitudes of Dinas Mawddwy, where the policeman's life ought to be a happy one and the most heinous crime in the absence of the owner's name from a cart, Mr. Ashton toiled year in and year out up to his task, corresponding with scholars everywhere who were interested in the subject of Welsh literature and were happy to help him with notes and suggestions.—Birmingham Post.

Oldest Tree in the World.

The town of Kos, the capital of the small Turkish island of that name lying off the coast of Asia Minor, possesses the oldest tree in the world. Under its shade Hippocrates inculcated his disciples in his methods and views concerning the healing art 2,000 years ago. Tradition carries the age of the tree back to the time of Aesculapius, of whom Hippocrates was a lineal descendant, which would add some 400 years to its age. A great part of the trunk is built round and upon the old fragments known as Hippocrates Fountain. The almost circumference of the trunk is 20 feet, and there are two main branches, which are supported by masonry columns.

Grasshopper Plague in Algiers.

The authorities in Algeria have begun to send fighting companies to the one district 9,000 cavalry were employed to carry the material for burning over the places where eggs had been deposited.

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he Pocahontas Times,

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A chiel's sinking you takin' notes,
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Local Events.

Miss Delia Edgar is visiting at Clover Lick.

C. A. Yeager will build a residence near Captain Smith's.

A party from Lewisburg will camp in Pocahontas this summer.

R. W. Hill, Uriah Bird and B. M. Yeager were in Grafton last week.

J. W. Yeager has built a very neat law office near the Court house.

L. M. McClintic, T. S. McNeel, R. K. Burns and I. F. Hill are on Cranberry this week camping.

Misses Emma Warwick, Mabel Ligon and Delia Edgar were visiting friends in Marlinton Monday.

Smith and Harper have orders for over 600,000 bricks. The first kiln of 250,000 will be ready for burning by August 1.

The name of the post office 5 miles below Franeford on the Lewisburg mail route has been changed from Hattie to Maxwelton.

Norman Price went to Lewisburg to attend the called meeting of Presbytery to consider the call of Rev G. W. Nickell to the Marlinton and Huntersville churches.

E. M. Arbogast and W. A. Bratton expect to build a big brick-office building. L. M. McClintic will build a brick law office building this fall.

County Court met last Tuesday and after auditing claims, refusing to build roads and to grant liquor license adjourned to Saturday next when it will meet to lay the levy.

During the late flood the Middle Fork Driving Compahy put in about 10,000 logs. The breaking of a chain on one of the dams was the cause of not getting in 2,000 more.

Two gentlemen were in town last week in regard to building the big mill to be put in at Marlinton. The mill will be brought here to saw lumber to build buildings, and the heavy machinery will be ready to be placed in the mill as soon as the railroad is finished to this point. They speak of building an engine house to take 200,000 bricks.

Dr A. L. Austin, Dentist, of Lewisburg who has been practicing in Marlinton during the past month will go to Green Bank on Thursday where he will practice for several weeks. He will be found at the office of his brother Dr C. L. Austin. He will return *to Marlinton at a later date, notice* of which will be given in these columns.

The railroad track is four miles this side of Filling Springs. The laying of track is temporarily suspended until the track already laid can be ballasted. The rails laid are taken from the main line which are replaced with the heaviest rails manufactured. The work on Locust creek bridge is not progressing very fast and quite a lot of grading is to be done. To an outsider it would seem that if the railroad reached Marlinton by October Court it will do well.

The engineer of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company is at the mouth of Leather Bark, laying off the ground for the immense sewmill plant to be erected there. There 140 houses to be built at once for occupation by the employees of the company. The big mill will be in charge of Mr Shoemaker, who is said to be a very public spirited man and who takes a personal interest in the welfare of the community in which he chances to be. Much is hoped for from the establishment of this big industry in the county. There is said to be as much as 50,000,000 feet of lumber on the waters of Leather Bark alone.

Dr. Miner Bores Pasture for Electricity.

The present wheat crop harvested in the Lowell in the memory of man is being taken off this week. The fly is the trouble. This unwelcome insect in a fly nearly as long as the common house fly but much slimmer. It lays the eggs in the fall at a certain period and if there is any wheat up the eggs are deposited in the ground at the point of the stalk. The eggs hatch about the time the heads fly makes its appearance apparently in the spring, and the insect feeds on the stalk of the wheat until it is weakened that it falls down. The fully grown fly has not killed but the grains are shriveled. Much of it rots and the grass stands up and looks as if it had not been cut. In the state of Virginia formerly the farmers burned the wheat stubble and then sown clover to kill out the pest, but now it is thought that the egg can only be prevented by late sowing.

The Knapps Creek bridge is completed.

W. W. Beard in the Levels is preparing to build a big barn.

Fruit evaporators at Slaven's; get one before they are all gone.

The St Lawrence Company will cut 15,000,000 feet of white pine this year at Driscol.

Stoves! Stoves!—No. 7 cookstoves, with 20 pieces, at $14.50; No. 8, with 20 pieces, $15, at R. B. Slaven's.

Dr O. J. Campbell is now in Marlinton, located above the postoffice. He will remain until next Wednesday.

F. Raymond Hill will locate in Marlinton about the first of September to practice law. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia.

What is the use of paying long-time prices and other people debts when you can get such bargains as I offer? Ladies' black hose 5c. Choice evaporated pears, 8c per lb. We have about 100 nice fans we will give away to the little girls.

Yours for bargains.
L. D. SHARP.
Linnwood, W. Va.

S. Nathan, of Philadelphia, and H. Nathan, of Laurel were in town Monday to see about the building of a roller mill at Marlinton if a site can be secured. No industry is more needed here. Mr Deeds of Indianopolis has been here to make arrangements about the machinery. It will probably be organized as a joint stock company.

Hang the flies! This process will take a long time; why not put up your wire windows right away? I will offer 7von wire screen windows which can be adjusted to different sizes of window for 38 cents and 48 cents each. Here comes a man telling me about the Arctic Icecream Freezer making icecream *in fifteen minutes—$2.48 only.*

Paul Golden.

In the Randolph Republican Convention one colored gentleman John McDowell, of Beverly, had a seat as a delegate. He is the first of his race to be recognized by any political party in this way in Randolph County, and it is supposed that on that account most of the colored people in the county will vote the Republican ticket at the comigg election.—News.

The oldest inhabitant fails to remember any display of electrical phenomena surpassing what occurred in view of Huntersville Friday evening. A very dark and rugged cloud loomed just above the horizon from Buckleys Mountain to Browns Mountain which was illuminated by vivid flashes of *lightning so continuous and frequent* as not to be counted, and this too for an hour or more. Some of the flashes were of exceptional brilliance and magnitude. The silence in the meantime was very profound, but for an occasionally scarcely audible echo of very remote thunder. After the disappearance of this magnificent electrical display towards the north another cloud came up from the southwest attended with rain, thunder and lightning. The very earth seemed to be shaken.

News from former Citizens.

News from absent friends widely known in our county is always pleasant.

Robert H. Moffett lives at Moberly, Missouri, and is prospering in business.

Mitchell W. Beard resides at Loma, O. T., and speaks of farms, rating at six or eight hundred dollars, a few years since, now selling for three or four thousand.

J. W. Ervin, a nephew of the late James Ervin, of Jackson's River, near Warm Springs, Va., now a resident of Charleston, Arkansas, writes an interesting letter. From it we glean the following *interesting item: "During the last* winter of the war part of Wm. L. Jackson's command, of which I was a member, camped at Hillsboro. I belonged to the 19th Virginia Regiment. Capt. Wm. L. McNeel and Capt. Jacob W. Marshall commanded Companies A and B of the same Regiment. I was acquainted with Capt Marshall, brother Robert and sister Ellen in Greenville while a child. Miss Ellen was my second teacher.

Married.

Frank Tolbert Sharp, of Slaty Fork, and Miss Emma S. Doyle, of Cloyer Creek, were married on Wednesday, June 27, 1900 at the residence of W. P. Dilley, Rev M. W. Atkinson officiating.

After receiving the congratulations of the nine little company assembled to witness the ceremony, Mr and Mrs Sharp drove to Slaty Fork where they will reside for the present. They are a promising young couple and their many friends wish them a long, useful and happy life. R. W. H.

To the Teachers of Pocahontas Co.

The Institute for Pocahontas County will be held at Huntersville commencing on the 13th day of August, 1900.

JESSE W. WARWICK, Jr.
Co. Superintendent of Schools.

GREEN BANK.

Fine growing weather, with considerable wind, hail and rain Friday night.

Peter Oliver, postmaster, threw his old hat away—It's a fine boy. Dr Little is also happy—It's a boy too, by heck!

Mrs and Mrs A. K. Dysard are visiting their daughter Mrs Dick Beard, of Academy.

L. J. R. Dysard was up to Durbin Sunday.

Oh Yes! Keep your eye on the indicator for they say another wedding is near.

Several of the boys are home for the Fourth.

There will be a good deal of wheat cut this the first week in July.

Col Dan O'Connel's drive started Saturday morning and passed Leather Bark Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

A postoffice will be established at Leather Bark; also at Collins Depot.

A railroad will be built up Brush Run to the timber on Buffalo Mauntain, in the near future.

Willis Gibson, of Vanderpool, is in this vicinity running out timber lands for E. M. Arbogast and others.

The Ladies of the Green Bank Aid Society will give a festival on July 21, 1900, in the church lot at this place. Ice Cream, Cake, Lemonade, &c. They will offer for sale a very nice quilt. Proceeds to go to go to repairing the Methodist church at this place. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Will commence at 11 a. m.—By order of the Committee.

Liquor License.

The county is infested with speakeasies all along the line of the Greenbrier Railroad from the top of Cheat to Droop Mountain. The liquor is hauled into the county with no attempt to hide the nature of the wagon load.

These resorts sell very mean whiskey at about $6 per gallon. There are the cause of a good deal of wretchedness. Young boys frequent the places, often spending Sunday there. They shelter behind a depraved condition of society. Many young men of our county have been taught to go in before the grandjury and swear falsely as to their dealings with these speakeasy men.

We have considered the question seriously and have reached the conclusion that this county is rotten ripe for licensed places. Until men are built like angels they will sell liquor, and it has reached that stage here that we cannot consider the state of society healthful. It is diseased in regard to this one thing and we must take bold measures to meet the evil.

Our idea is to grant liquor licenses for awhile to responsible men, place them under bond of $3,500 outside of incorporated towns, and twice that in such towns. Attack this bond if they ever sell to a minor, a drunken man or keep open on Sunday, and have brought the hidden disease to the surface teach our boys and young men the danger of the first drink, and let them learn to pass a saloon and gauge it at its true value.

We are opposed to the traffic, always have been and always will but just now we would like to break up the secretive, degrading speakeasies with which the county is infected. We are ready to fight *the devil with fire.*

Camp No. 2, Horton, W. Va.

Grant Dickson, foreman for the Condon Lane Boom & Lumber Co., of Philadelphia, has a full crew of about 75 men. Boys from Pocahontas are I. B. Shrader, Alex Gregg and Harper Hudson.

Bark peeling is now the order.

Harry Lizier is our cook and a better cook never followed the woods.

Baltimore White is our lobby boy. He is well selected with the gloves and can strike a blow that will send a man down and out.

Sam White, a professional boxer, with his comical and witty sayings, affords amusement for all the crew. Sam would drive the blues out of a keg of indigo with his comical sayings.

The writer would like to see Reddie Warwick come out and spend the summer among the spruce.

I. B. Shrader expects to go to the oil fields at Cairo, W. Va., soon.

A POCAHONTAS WOODSMAN.

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co.

STATEMENT JAN. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,646,729
Liabilities	$120,120,1
General Surplus	$5,534,6?7
Income	$24,607,343
Insurance Written	$73,430,743
Insurance Gained	$10,593,387
Insurance in Force	$497,606,125
Policies in Force	29,726

E. A. HUNGE, Gen Agt.
Wheeling, W. Va.
Robert Echols, Gen. Agt
Marlinton, W. Va.

BUCKEYE.

Mrs Addie McNiel, who has been suffering the ills of slow fever, is not improving as rapidly as we would like to see her.

G. D. McNeil will leave for the Capital City in a few days.

She present outlook for an interesting Sabbath school here this summer is rather flattering.

Prof Jasper says he is particularly fond of music, but this is no excuse for his going theere, for we all like music.

A drought is generally followed by rain. Picnics, white dresses and dry clover hay often bring changes in the weather.

Fool Bill Hoover is hitting the *grit for Roneeverte, in pursuit of* two loaded wagons.

We noticed a strip in last weeks issue signed Silly Sam. We have money to bet it was Mountain Rover. We are as familiar with his song as we are with "Home, Sweet Home."

O. W. Kellison is in from camp.

ANDREW ALDER.

It raineth, the sun shineth, and A. W. Rodgers goeth to Mr Hefner's.

Frank Anderson and Newton Rayburn, of Marlinton, were in this part recently.

John Stout, of Cowen, was here a few days ago on business.

Jack Eckley made a flying trip to Horton recently on business.

Last week while Tommy Townsend was out calling a painter cat run him for four mile. He is now hopefully convalescent.

Jack Hooks, of Frost, was here looking for sheep a few days ago.

George Kellison will start to Utah before long on a visit.

Charles McLaughlin passed here Saturday enroute to Huntersville to see his betsy. Good luck to him.

Mrs Mary McClintic is spending a few weeks at her home now.

Grffie Sheets is at home from camp for a few days.

Miss Nannie Auldridge has returned from Auldridge where she has been going to school.

A. W. R.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

EAST FROST.

Rain, sunshine and heat.

Edward Mullinax expects to return to his home in Pendleton this week.

The postoffice is liable to be found on East Street some fine morning.

Somebody is trying to make it appear that A. L. Dilley is handling nothing but second hand goods. This is a willful falsehood. His goods are new, except the clothing line which is second hand. He sells so cheap that some of the people think he has stolen the goods.

Ben and Ernest Sharp are off to the Hot Springs this week.

The singing at Mt Zion continued by C. K. Moore and A. L. Reed was fine.

Mrs Amanda Sharp has been on the sicklist for some days.

Cameron Curry, of Highland, is visiting in this part.

Herbert Reed passed through here Monday last week enroute for Highland.

Miss Daisy Sharp and brother Mercer *were visiting friends and* relatives near Green Bank last week.

The Republican Convention at Marlinton was all OK. Hurrah for our next State's attorney, W. B. Sharp! CORN STALK.

DURBIN.

We are having plenty of rain and big water.

Dan O'Connel is driving the rest of logs. He has two large arks being built at the Chub Hole, opposite O. W. S. Gum's.

Clyde Beard has been scaling logs for O'Connel. We wonder if he saw any dogs.

Sandy Burner had the misfortune to get a cinder in his eye.

Mr and Mrs Willis Burner have returned from their bridal tour. A *bountiful dinner awaited them at* home, and they and their friends partook of the good things and the old gobbler.

Keep your eye on the next wedding; it's in sight. JESS.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE POCAHONTAS BANK

at Marlinton, W. Va., at Close of Business, June 29, 1900,
Sent to the Controller of the Currency
at Washington, D. C.

Representing Business for Six Months.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Bills Discounted	$45,908 71	Capital Stock, paid up	$ 5,520 00
Overdrafts	87 04	Undivided Profits	1,244 93
Furniture & Fixtures	1,682 50	Deposits from Customers	80,015 84
Due from Banks	33,298 53		
Expense	774 07		
Cash	4,988 76		
	$86,780 47		$86,780 47

State of West Virginia }
County of Pocahontas } ss

I, R. C. McCandlish, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
R. C. McCANDLISH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of June, 1900.
URIAH BIRD, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:
L. M. McClintic,
R. W. Hill, Directors,
C. E. Beard.

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Ice Cream Freezer, $2.75

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Oak Rocking Chair, $1.45

I am selling a real *good rocking chair*, oak strong and durable for $1.45.

Mattress, $2.45

How about a cotton top mattress for $2.45? I have a large line of Fiber Mattresses. They dont get hard and they wear longer.

Trunks.

I have a large line of trunks, different sizes and styles, at lowest possible prices.

Hammocks.

I would like to show you my line of before you purchase.

Millet Seed

German Millet Seed only $1.45 per bushel.

Garland Cooking Stove

I am sole agent for the famous Garland Cooking Stove—best grade made. Prices as low as the lowest. It will pay you to figure with me when you are in need.

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SOME PRICES

Rice 5clb
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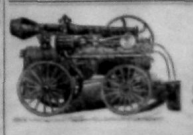
Suspenders 20c, (worth 25 to 30c)
Buckskin Shirts 35c to 45c (worth 50 to 60c)
Silk Hankerchief 30c (worth 50c)
100 Best Quality Fish Hooks 10c
Mens Heavy Sock 10c (worth 15c)

Other goods proportionally low. We have our store kept full of fresh bought goods. Thanking you for your past patronage, we remain

YOURS RESPECTFULLY.
L. D. SHARP,
Linwood, W. Va.



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